

CWPP

Community Wildfire Protection Plan

A State Fire Assistance grant through the Arizona Department of Forestry and Fire Management has allowed Apache County to revise and update the 2004 Apache Communities Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP). The CWPP is being revised in accordance with requirements of the Healthy Forests Restoration Act of 2003 and through the use of enhanced fire behavior modeling, and analyses of current wildfire threat within the planning areas. The CWPP will assess communities at risk from wildland fire and revise recommendations to reduce wildland vegetative fuel and structural ignitibility. Recommendations within the revised CWPP, when implemented, are designed to reduce the threat wildfire through the fostering of 'fire adapted' communities, as more resilient and prepared to wildfire. Apache County has invited a Core Team of agency resource specialists in wildland fire management to direct the analysis process. The Core Team will review and amend where necessary the Wildland Urban Interface boundary, determine wildland fire threat, effects and risk to communities, structure, and infrastructure within the wildland-urban interface. The Core Team encourages public comments and invites all residents to download and review the 2004 CWPP at the following website:

https://tb2cdn.schoolwebmasters.com/acnt_591117/site_591118/Documents/Community-Wildfire-Protection-Plan-2004.pdf

All Apache County residents are invited to submit any questions or comments you may have about the Apache Communities Wildlife Protection Plan revision.

Please submit your comments by October 17, 2020 electronically at:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1Lf1C24MnYBDW7AdKvbnX2IjWa1UIWsSrw3JbYt8Lb54/edit?usp=sharing>

or

by mail:

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Monday through Thursday from 6:30am to 5:30pm
with any questions or concerns.

